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SUBJECT: MOVEMENT OF AMCIT FUGITIVES

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1. CREW OF REGULAR AIR CANADA FLIGHT OBJECTED MARCH 9 TO
TAKING SIX SKYJACKERS EVEN THOUGH FOUR ARMED CANADIAN AGENTS
ON BOARD, AND WITH FALLOUT, CANADA DOES NOT APPEAR TO BE
MUCH OF VIABLE OPTION AT THIS POINT. AIR CANADA REMAINS A
POSSIBILITY BUT MIGHT INVOLVE DELAY IN CLEARING WITH
CUBANS.

2. PLEASE ADVISE URGENTLY WHETHER JAMAICAN AUTHORITIES
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WOULD COOPERATE IN TRANSFERRING SIX SKYJACKERS, WHO ARE
VOLUNTARILY RETURNING TO US AFTER SEVERAL YEARS IN CUBA,
AT KINGSTON AIRPORT FROM REGULAR CUBANA FLIGHT TO AIR-
PLANE CHARTERED BY U.S. GOVERNMENT. ARMED U.S. AGENTS
WOULD BE ABOARD BUT ADVISED NOT TO DISEMBARK FROM AIRPLANE.

3. IF JAMAICANS OBJECTED TO CHARTER FLIGHT, WOULD THEY BE

WILLING TO PUT THEM ABOARD REGULAR EASTERN FLIGHT WITH
U.S. AGENTS ON BOARD?
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